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HOUSE REBUKES PRESIDENT TAFT

Passes Steel Tariff Revision Bill Over His Veto.

REPUBLICANS AID DEMOCRATS

Sixteen Minority Members Vote With the Majority, the Result Being 173 to 83—Sixty-one Republicans by Their Absence Contribute to the Rebuke—Administration Leaders Indulge in Bitter Criticism.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Sixteen Republicans joined with the Democrats of the house of representatives in passing the steel tariff revision bill over the veto of President Taft. The vote was 173 to 83. Sixty-one Republicans by absenting themselves from the house, contributed to the rebuke thus administered to the president.

Administration leaders are bitter in their criticisms of the indifference to the party welfare shown by many Republican representatives and the Republican leaders in the house are chagrined that for the second time in two days a measure should have been passed over the president's veto because of the failure of Republicans to stick to the job.

It is apparent to leaders in congress there will be no revision of the tariff at this session. The president has vetoed the two bills sent to him and the same fate awaits any other revision measure that may be forwarded to the White House.

Republican leaders are grieved over the action of some of their followers in the house in voting on the two occasions to override vetoes by the president. They confess the house Republicans are completely demoralized and declare publicly that the executive vetoes of the wool and steel bills were overridden largely through the neglect of regulars and partly by the affirmative votes of progressives.

The debate on the steel bill was bitter in the extreme. Former Speaker Cannon excoriated the Republicans who had voted for the wool bill, expressing doubt that such members had a right to continue in the party.

Underwood Denounces Taft.

Referring to the president's veto and the two tariff bills Majority Leader Underwood denounced President Taft as a man without intelligence, conscience or respect for himself.

The demoralization in the Republican ranks was strikingly shown by a vote token on a motion made by Representative Mann, the minority leader, that the motion of Mr. Underwood to pass the steel bill over the president's veto be tabled. Nine of Mr. Mann's followers deserted him in this emergency, further intensifying the factional differences in the party.

In discussing the president's message Representative Underwood quoted the statement of Mr. Taft, in which he said:

"'A bill for the complete revision of this schedule was presented to me a year ago in the extra session of congress. Many increases and decreases of rates are now made from those in the former measure. Changes are not explained, indicating hasty preparation of both.'"

Commenting on this Representative Underwood said:

"Any man of intelligence or any man of conscience, any man having respect for himself would not send to congress that statement as a reason for defeating the will of the American people as expressed by their representatives in congress. A statement of that kind in a great public document is not only lamentable, it is pitiable."

Mr. Underwood said that the bill imposed a duty of approximately 22 per cent on steel products and that 10 per cent would cover the difference in the cost of labor at home and abroad. This statement was combatted by Representative Payne of New York, former Speaker Cannon and other Republican leaders.

President Vetoes Steel Bill.

Washington, Aug. 15.—President Taft vetoed the steel bill. In a message to congress the president said he disapproved the measure because it provided for revenue only and took no account of protection for American industries. He condemned the ways and means committee for refusing public hearings on the bill. His veto was expected.

STANLEY SCORES ROOSEVELT

Congressman Criticises Colonel and J. P. Morgan.

Washington, Aug. 15.—The personal and political relations of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt and George W. Perkins, formerly of J. P. Morgan @ Co., were bitterly attacked on the floor of the house by Representative A. O. Stanley of Kentucky, who is chairman of the steel trust investigation committee.

In a speech supporting his bill to make the reports of the commissioner of corporations available for congress Representative Stanley charged that Mr. Roosevelt had protected the harvester trust from government prosecution and described him as the "go between" of "big business and the government."

MAKE CHANGES IN CANAL BILL

Conferees Strike Out Provision for Free Passage.

BARS TRUST OWNED VESSELS

Foreign Shipbuilding Materials Will Be Admitted Without Duty and the Interstate Commerce Commission Is Given Power to Break Up Any Combination of Rail and Water Lines.

Washington, Aug. 15.—An agreement on the Panama canal administration bill was reached by the conference committee of the house and senate by which free passage is denied to American owned ships engaged in foreign trade, foreign shipbuilding materials are admitted free of tariff to the United States and the interstate commerce commission is given power to break up any combination of rail and water lines, which it finds is not for "the public good."

Two of the six members of the conference committee, Senator Brandegee and Representative Frederick E. Stevens of Minnesota, declined to sign the report. Those who did sign the agreement were Senators Bristow and Simmons and Representatives Adamson and Sims. As perfected in the conference committee, the canal bill now provides in brief:

Free passage for American ships engaged in coastwise trade.

American registry for American owned foreign built ships engaged exclusively in foreign trade.

No tariff on foreign shipbuilding materials for use in this country.

Trust owned ships prohibited from the canal.

Railroads prohibited from owning competing waterway lines operating "through the canal or elsewhere," when such ownership is detrimental to the public welfare.

Interstate commerce commission authorized to investigate ownership of water lines by railways and sanction where it is beneficial.

One man government for Panama canal and zone.

Will Meet Some Opposition.

The agreement will be reported to the house and senate. It is believed it will be subject to some opposition before it is agreed to. In dropping out the senate amendment giving free passage to American ships engaged in foreign trade the conference committee met the opposition of those who considered this a direct violation of the treaty with Great Britain.

The senate amendment admitting foreign built ships to American registry when owned by Americans was supplemented with the provision admitting shipbuilding material free of tariff to meet the opposition of house members who asserted the American shipbuilding industry would otherwise suffer.

Practically all of the force of the Bourne railroad amendment attached to the bill in the senate was retained by the conferees. It was rewritten to give the interstate commerce commission the right to determine whether railroads should be allowed to hold water lines and to sanction such ownership when it was in the public interest.

The railroad section of the bill is drastic in its terms and broad in the power it confers on the interstate commerce commission. It prohibits after July 1, 1914, railroads from owning or controlling competing steamer lines, "operating through the Panama canal or elsewhere" and gives to the interstate commerce commission the power to determine whether the railroad and steamship lines are "competing carriers" within the meaning of the law.

FLAMES KILL TWO GIRLS

One Throws Gasoline in Stove to Hasten Fire.

Fargo, N. D., Aug. 15.—Three-year-old Anna Resner and Alma Friesz, twelve years old, who was caring for the younger child and attempting to bake bread at the same time, were burned to death in a fire at the Adolph Resner home in New Leipsig.

Mrs. Resner had gone to town, when the older child attempted to hurry the fire with which she was baking bread by putting gasoline on it. The father was working in his blacksmith shop a few feet away when he heard the explosion. Resner was unable to extinguish the flames and only rescued the burning bodies of his child and that of the Friesz girl after being severely burned.

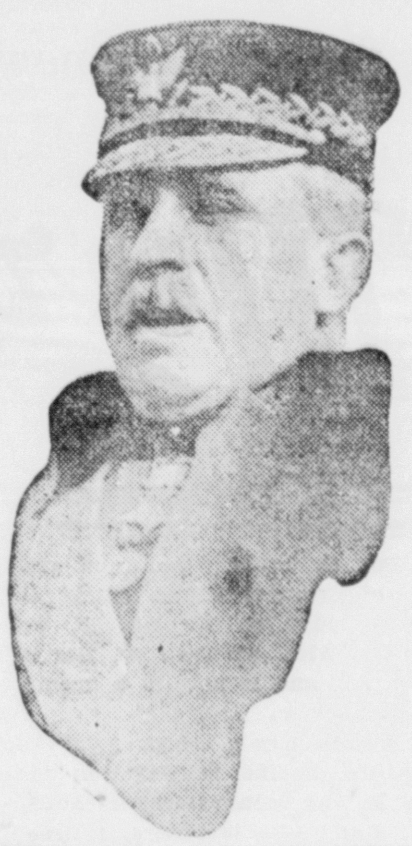
Both girls died shortly after being taken from the fire.

Double Drowning in Dubuque.

Dubuque, Ia., Aug. 15.—Miss Frankie Kemp, a nurse in a local hospital, and Edward Erner, who was teaching her to swim, were drowned in the Mississippi river. A sister of Miss Kemp stood on the bank and saw them struggle and sink.

GENERAL WOOD.

Army Bill as Passed Allows Him to Continue in Office.



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SENATE PASSES ARMY BILL

Eliminates Provision Intended to Retire General Wood.

Washington, Aug. 15.—The senate passed the army appropriation bill, carrying $94,000,000, a measure replacing that originally passed which was vetoed by President Taft.

The new bill did not carry the provision of the original which would have legislated General Leonard Wood, chief of staff of the army, out of official life.

AGREE TO ABOLISH PENSION AGENCIES

Senate and House Conferees Settle Differences.

Washington, Aug. 15.—The senate yielded to the demands of the house for the abolition of the pension agencies throughout the United States and passed the $150,000,000 pension appropriation bill, with a provision for the abolishment of the agencies Jan. 31, 1913.

The action of the conferees was the culmination of a dispute which has held up the payment of over $9,000,000 of pension payments due Civil war veterans on Aug. 4 and has thrown the financial operations of the pension bureau into chaos.

The house will probably accept the senate provision regarding the abolition of pension agencies throughout the country. The house proposed that these agencies be abolished Dec. 31 of the present year. This was the only provision of the bill in dispute and its settlement was expected to end the deadlock between the house and the senate.

Under the senate provision the payment of all pensions would, after the date named, be made directly from the pension bureau at Washington. At present the bureau has nothing to do with the actual payment to veterans, the checks going through the hands of the eighteen district pension agents. The change would abolish eighteen $4,000 jobs and result in the retirement or the removal to Washington of several hundred district clerks. A saving of about $250,000 in administration of the pensions laws would follow.

ANSWERS ATTACK OF RIVALS

Minnesota Governor Defends Use of Contingent Fund.

St. Paul, Aug. 15.—Answering attacks on Governor Eberhart in regard to the expenditures from the governor's contingent fund Ralph W. Wheelock, secretary to the governor, issued a statement in answer to arguments accredited to Lewis C. Spooner and W. E. Lee, gubernatorial candidates and rivals of Eberhart. The reply made by the governor's secretary covers an expenditure from the contingent fund used for the care of Bertha Clausen of Duluth, an insane girl. Mr. Wheelock says in the reply there was nothing improper about the expenditure as is alleged to have been charged by the two rival candidates.

Regarding other alleged improper usages of the contingent fund, as charged by the two candidates, according to Mr. Wheelock, no answer will be made, because they are held too trivial for reply.

Destitute Man Inherits Fortune.

San Francisco, Aug. 15.—Sick and alone, William H. Spencer, a carpenter, sixty years old, received word that he is heir to a fortune of $48,550 left by Isaac Spencer, an uncle who died recently in New Lexington, O.

Chicago Has 3,000,000 Cats.

Chicago, Aug. 15.—Chicago contains more cats than human beings, according to Hugo Krause, secretary of the Anti-Cruelty society. He places the number of homeless cats in the city at 1,000,000 and the number enjoying the comforts of a home he believes will reach 2,000,000.

ILL FEELING IN THE CONGRESS

Caused by Differences Over the Appropriation Bills.

POLITICS ENTERS INTO IT.

The House Is Trying to Make a Record For Economy, While the Senate Is Insisting Upon Adequate Appropriations—Result Is That Adjournment Is Delayed.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Aug. 15.—[Special.]—Ill feeling between the two branches of the national legislature has been engendered by reason of the many differences of opinion over provisions in the appropriation bills and which have caused delay in adjournment. Of course these men do not come right out in the open and say what they think of each other, but in plain parliamentary language each house has accused the other of doing things it should not have done.

One of the principal reasons for the ill feeling is on account of the pension appropriation bill, where the fight is over the abolition of seventeen pension agencies in different parts of the country. The house wants these agencies discontinued, but the senate has refused to consent, with the result that the pension bill has been held up for several months. Other differences have arisen which have "strained the comity" that all parliamentarians say should exist between the two bodies.

Politics Involved.

Of course politics enters into the differences. The house is trying to make a record for economy, while the senate is insisting upon adequate appropriations. And so far as the senate is concerned there is no division on party lines in behalf of economy. Democrats as well as Republicans have insisted upon two battleships and other increases. But the main differences have grown out of proposed reformatory legislation proposed by the house which the senate refuses to accept. The house can play politics when the senate cannot, because there are practically three parties in the senate now, Republicans, Democrats and Progressives, though few are listed in the last class.

Champ Plays No Favorites.

On the day that Mr. Taft was notified of his nomination there were very few Republicans in the house—in fact, none of the regulars. There had been an agreement that there should be three hours of general debate, the time to be controlled by the speaker.

"I want to be absolutely fair about this," remarked Champ Clark, "and I want to know if any Republicans want any of the three hours."

"Are there any Republicans here?" asked Foster of Illinois.

"The bull moose crowd are here," remarked Burnett of Alabama as he saw a number of progressives, who were not at the Taft feast.

"The bull moose are just the same as any other crowd, as far as the speaker is concerned," remarked Champ. "The speaker does not recognize any difference between Republicans."

Smoot a Business Man.

Senator Reed of Missouri interrupted Senator Smoot of Utah. "Does the senator as a business man—and he is," said Reed, "as I have been led to believe from the many observations I have made of his grasp of business propositions here before the senate"—

"Thank you," smiled the Utah senator, who does not get many compliments from the Democratic side.

Campaign Thunder.

During the consideration of a bill in the house Congressman Akin asked unanimous consent to extend his remarks in the Record, which is "leave to print" and gives a man a chance to manufacture campaign thunder. "Mr. Speaker, I make the same request," said Minority Leader Mann. Then followed in order "with the same request" Foster of Illinois, Sulzer of New York, Rainey of Illinois, Cannon of Illinois, Moore of Pennsylvania, Harrison of New York, Warburton of Washington, Evans of Illinois, Hawley of Oregon, Simmons of New York, Raker of California and Sabath of Illinois.

"I think there should be no distinction," said Adamson of Georgia. "Every man in the house should be given the same privilege. I ask for universal amnesty."

"Does the gentleman put that request seriously?" asked the speaker.

"No: it's a joke," replied Adamson, "and the speaker can so label it if he pleases."

And then the long string of requests to making campaign material received assent.

Borah's Comment.

Senator Borah gave notice that he intended to call up the house bill for establishing a department of labor. "I give notice," said Senator Bailey, "that I will try to have taken up in lieu of that bill the joint resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution providing a single term for the president."

"All of which will make a very interesting discussion," was the comment of the Idaho senator. And the senators smiled, for they knew that it would mean an overhauling of recent political events.

Looking Ahead.

Gerald—Will you marry me? Geraldine—Wait awhile. I don't want to get tired of you just yet.

A. BONAR LAW.

Alleged to Be Indulging in Inflammatory Speeches.

GOVERNMENT READY TO ACT

Prominent English Conservatives May Land in Jail.

London, Aug. 15.—The Dundee Advertiser, an influential Liberal organ, prints the startling hint that the government is prepared to take action should the inflammatory speeches and doings of A. Bonar Law, Sir Edward H. Carson and Frederick E. Smith and other Conservative leaders in inciting Ulsterites to revolt, have the effect of provoking disturbances in Ulster, thus bringing them within the pale of the law. The newspaper recalls that Parnell and his associates were lodged in jail in similar circumstances.

DEMOCRATS AGREE ON ONE WARSHIP

House Caucus Decides to Allow Appropriation.

Washington, Aug. 15.—After a fight extending over many weeks Democrats of the house of representatives agreed in caucus to recede from their "no battleship" program and to permit the battleship champions to vote in the house for one such vessel.

Unlike the four preceding caucuses there was an absence of bitterness of feeling and by a rising vote of 95 to 11 the resolution of recession was put through. It is expected the senate will agree to the one battleship plan, ending the deadlock over the naval bill.

There were present in the sec meeting 126 members and of the e twenty refrained from voting. While the solid support of the majority will not be given to the battleship program the leaders are confident that they will have far more than the necessary strength when aligned with the Republican "friends of the navy."

An effort will be made to have the warship to be authorized the largest and most formidable fighting craft ever laid down.

AMERICAN FIRE TOO HOT

Sailors Repulse Attack of Nicaraguan Rebels.

Managua, Nicaragua, Aug. 15.—The insurgents under command of Generals Mena and Zeledon resumed their attack on Managua, but after a desperate fight were again repulsed. This is the fourth day of the battle which is being waged about the Nicaraguan capital.

Before they were repelled the rebels succeeded in forcing their way close up to the houses of the city. The American sailors guarding the United States legation and the presidential palace who, because of their marksmanship, had been especially selected from the American detachment stationed here to protect the lives and property of American citizens, directed a fire too hot for the attackers and the rebels were driven back.

Steer Prices Break Records.

Chicago, Aug. 15.—Steers reached the highest price ever paid on the Chicago exchange when a load of Indiana fed Herefords sold at $10.50 a hundredweight. A number of steers were sold for $10 or better.

BOY IS HEIR TO $3,000,000

Mrs. John Jacob Astor Gives Birth to a Son.

New York, Aug. 15.—Mrs. Madeline Force Astor, survivor of the Titanic disaster, in which her husband, the late Colonel John Jacob Astor, lost his life last April, gave birth to a son. The new arrival has been named John Jacob Astor after its father. The baby becomes a direct heir to $3,000,000 of the Astor fortune.

That the child was a boy was a matter of intense satisfaction to Mrs. Astor and her family. Mrs. Astor announced to friends that she hoped it would be a boy to bear the name of her husband.

WILL WAGE WAR ON POLICE GRAFT

DARROW DENOUNCES FOES

Charges Prosecution With Attempt to Destroy Him.

Los Angeles, Aug. 15.—Clarence S. Darrow, in his trial for alleged jury bribing, faced the jury at the conclusion of Attorney Roger's argument to make the final plea in his own behalf.

At the outset he informed the jury that he would not appeal to their sympathies, against which they had been warned by the district attorney, and there was no note of supplication in his opening remarks. The Chicago lawyer poured torrents of wrath and denunciation upon those, who he declared, had plotted to destroy him.

From an arraignment of his enemies Mr. Darrow went briefly into his career as an advocate for labor and thence into an analysis of the evidence produced against him to support the charge that he had bribed George N. Lockwood, a prospective juror in the McNamara case.

ODELL IN ANANIAS CLUB

Roosevelt Gives Membership to Former Governor.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 15.—The testimony of former Governor Benjamin B. Odell of New York before the senate investigating committee which is investigating campaign funds was contradicted by Colonel Roosevelt.

"I am not interested in Mr. Odell's hearsay statements," Mr. Roosevelt exclaimed. He declared that any man who attempted to refute the statements which he had made in reply to the allegation that he had requested E. H. Harriman to raise funds for the 1904 campaign branded himself as dishonest and untruthful.

Identifies His Assailant.

Milwaukee, Aug. 15.—Lying desperately wounded in the Milwaukee hospital, Officer Frank Korn, West Allis, a suburb, identified Peter Roma, thirty-eight years of age, as one of four men who shot him down when he attempted to arrest the quartette for the alleged shooting of Alexander Walzlavik, a saloonist at Waukesha.

Desperate.

"I believe Mr. Blank will propose to our Edith tonight."

"What makes you think that?"

"I noticed when he came in he had a sort of desperate look."—Meggendorfer Blatter.

RESULTS ON THE DIAMOND

American Association.

St. Paul 3, Louisville 2.
Columbus 9, Minneapolis 8.
Kansas City 3, Indianapolis 2.
Toledo 6, Milwaukee 3.

Standing of the Clubs—Minneapolis, .645; Columbus, .637; Toledo, .607; Kansas City, .484; Milwaukee, .463; St. Paul, .452; Louisville, .371; Indianapolis, .347.

National League.

Pittsburg 3, 2, Philadelphia 2, 1.

Standing of the Clubs—New York, .716; Chicago, .654; Pittsburg, .612; Philadelphia, .490; Cincinnati, .462; St. Louis, .443; Brooklyn, .358; Boston, .272.

American League.

Chicago 6, Washington 0.
Philadelphia 8, 2, Cleveland 3, 0.
New York 3, 3, Detroit 6, 1.
Boston 8, 8, St. Louis 2, 0.

Standing of the Clubs—Boston, .688; Philadelphia, .602; Washington, .600; Chicago, .500; Detroit, .491; Cleveland, .464; St. Louis, .324; New York, .321.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Aug. 15.—Wheat—On track—No. 1 hard, $1.04; No. 1 Northern, $1.03; to arrive, 95c; No. 2 Northern, 96c; 93c; Dec., 92⅞c. Flax—On track and to arrive, $1.83½; Sept., $1.78½.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Aug. 15.—Cattle—Steers, $6.00@8.50; cows and heifers, $3.25@7.00; calves, $3.00@8.00; feeders, $3.50@6.25. Hogs—$7.65@8.30. Sheep—Lambs, $3.00@6.25; wethers, $3.75@4.00; ewes, $1.25@3.50.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Aug. 15.—Wheat—Sept., 93c; Dec., 92¼@92⅜c; May, 96¼c. Corn—Sept., 70⅜@70½c; Dec., 54@54½c; May, 53½@53⅝c. Oats—Sept., 31⅜@31½c; Dec., 32¼c; May, 34⅜@34½c. Pork—Sept., $18.05; Jan., $18.80. Butter—Creameries, 22@24c; dairies, 21@23c. Eggs—16@18½c. Poultry—Turkeys, 12c; chickens, 13c; springs, 16c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 15.—Cattle—Beeves, $5.15@10.40; Texas steers, $5.00@6.90; Western steers, $6.25@9.00; stockers and feeders, $4.00@7.00; cows and heifers, $2.65@8.15; calves, $6.50@9.75. Hogs—Light, $8.05@8.65; mixed, $6.70@8.62½; heavy, $7.50@8.45; rough, $7.50@7.70; pigs, $6.00@8.25. Sheep—Native, $3.15@4.35; yearlings, $4.30@5.50; lambs, $4.25@7.25.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Aug. 15.—Wheat—Sept., 91⅞c; Dec., 92⅛c; May, 96⅜c. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, $1.05⅜; No. 1 Northern, $1.05⅞; to arrive, 99⅞c; No. 2 Northern, $1.03⅞; No. 3 Northern, 99⅞c; No. 3 yellow corn, 75c; No. 4 corn, 69@70c; No. 3 white oats, 30@32c; to arrive, 29c; No. 3 oats, 27@27½c; barley, 37@64c; flax, $1.82½; to arrive, $1.78½.

New York Citizens Hold Interesting Mass Meeting.

NAME VIGILANCE COMMITTEE

Gathering Typifies Public Indignation Aroused by the Revelations of Police Corruption Growing Out of the Sensational Murder of Herman Rosenthal—District Attorney Whitman Is the Hero of the Hour.

New York, Aug. 15.—The resolute determination of the citizens of New York to rid their police force of its system of graft and blackmail was given forcible expression at a mass meeting held at the historic hall of Cooper Union. A vigilance committee of prominent men and women was appointed to see that the public officers now engaged in exposing "the treasonable alliance of the police with organized crime" do their full duty.

The mass meeting, which typified the public indignation aroused by the revelations of police corruption growing out of the murder of Herman Rosenthal, was attended by a crowd that overflowed the hall. There were 4,000 in the auditorium with hundreds standing, while blocking the streets outside were thousands more who clamored for admittance.

It was one of the largest "town meetings" held in the city in years and there was no mistaking the earnestness which pervaded the gathering as it voiced its approval of the denunciation of the police "system" by the prominent speakers. The atmosphere of levity often present at public mass meetings was wholly absent and each speaker was heard with respectful attention, interrupted only by dignified applause.

What the Resolution Demands.

The resolution appointing the vigilance committee, which was given power to increase its number to thirty and to solicit funds and to engage counsel, called "upon the police department to put forth additional efforts looking to the arrest of all those implicated in the Rosenthal murder; upon the district attorney to bend every energy of his office, as he has been doing, to the apprehension and conviction of those guilty of this crime; upon the aldermanic investigating committee to make a thorough, nonpartisan and unsparing examination into existing conditions and into causes which give rise to systems of blackmail and graft and to propose remedies by which these causes may be removed; and upon the citizens and officials having information on these conditions to lay it before the district attorney or the aldermanic committee in the full confidence that they will be protected against terrorism and oppression of every sort."

The members of the committee were Eugene H. Outerbridge, Jacob H. Schiff, Eugene A. Philbin, Henry Moskowitz, Allan Robinson, F. S. Tomlin, Raymond V. Ingersoll, Mrs. Charles H. Israel and George B. Agnew.

Noted Persons on Platform.

On the platform from which Abraham Lincoln delivered an address at the opening of Cooper Union in 1860 sat representative men and women in all walks of life. The speakers included District Attorney Whitman, Dr. Lyman Abbott, Rabbi Samuel Schull, Alderman Henry H. Curran, chairman of the aldermanic police investigating committee; Emory R. Buckner, counsel for the committee; Henry de Forest Baldwin and Mrs. Charles H. Israel, who is a prominent social worker.

District Attorney Whitman was "the hero of the hour" and received a tremendous ovation when he arose to speak. He was frequently interrupted by spontaneous cries of approval which had not been given to the other speakers until they had finished their addresses.

"I want to say just this," said Mr. Whitman, "with regard to the matter which I know is near your hearts as it is near mine, with regard to a crime that has shocked this city and shocked this nation, perhaps, as few crimes have in the history of the city or in the history of the nation. The killing of Herman Rosenthal was a murder, of course, an awful murder, but it was more than that. In the light of all circumstances connected with it, it was a challenge to our very civilization itself."

HILLES CLAIMS ELECTION

Declares Taft Will Carry Thirty-four States.

Chicago, Aug. 15.—Charles D. Hilles, chairman of the Republican national committee, issued a statement claiming thirty-four states, with a total electoral vote of 384, for the Republican ticket, and conceding ten states, with an electoral vote of 114, to the Democratic party, and listing four states, with an electoral vote of 34, as doubtful.

Chairman Hilles concedes no state to the Progressive party.

Mr. Hilles said that the Progressive party would draw no more heavily from the Republican party than from the Democratic party.

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August 14, maximum temperature 72 degrees.

August 15, minimum temperature 49 degrees.

Governor Eberhart has relieved the tension and is now a full fledged candidate for renomination, having filed his intention on Wednesday.

It cost the state of Minnesota just $3.98 cents for each man, woman and child within her borders to pay the expenses of running the state government during the fiscal year just closed, which is a per capita increase of 30 cents over last year. Another example of the cost of high living.

James Manahan, candidate for the nomination of congressman-at-large on the republican ticket, has the political record beaten, having been in as many political parties in as many years. His latest flop is to Teddy Roosevelt, and that after having roasted him in the most approved fashion during the primary election.

The political writer on the Duluth News-Tribune says that "In the opinion of those who are shrewd observers of political events, Congressman Lindbergh made a serious mistake in declaring for Roosevelt and denouncing Taft. Many declare that the Menahga editor will have more than an even chance of securing the nomination against him."

The state game commission seem to be taking the bull by the horns and have had mounted 21 bull moose heads which they are now offering for sale to any member of the bull moose party. The commission have these heads on hand as a result of the activity of game wardens and seem to think this is the proper moment to dispose of them. Moose heads may not be the style next year.

Men who have kept in touch with politics in this state during the past twenty years or more will be interested to learn that John B. Hompe, at one time the boss politician of Otter Tail county, will endeavor to come back to the legislature after a vacation of many years. Hompe was the idol of the farmers' alliance during his legislative career and was a power in the political game, holding positions high up in both senate and house. He is now a democrat and a leader of the Wilson forces in his home county.

Senator Dan Gunn, well known in this city, gives out the following political interview to the Duluth News-Tribune: "President Taft will be elected by one of the biggest landslides in history and Governor Eberhart has the republican nomination cinched." This was the prophecy made yesterday by State Senator D. M. Gunn of Grand Forks, considered by many as one of the strongest members in the upper branch of the Minnesota legislature. Senator Gunn was a guest at the Spalding yesterday and in discussing the political situation, he said: "There is little sentiment among the voters for any candidate other than Taft. Prior to and up to the time of the Chicago convention there was considerable Roosevelt sentiment, I will admit, but it has all fallen away and the rank and file, after examining Taft's record, are of the opinion that he should be elected. While I do not think Roosevelt will cut much of a figure, still, I believe he will poll a larger vote than Wilson."

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DR. JOSEPH NICHOLSON
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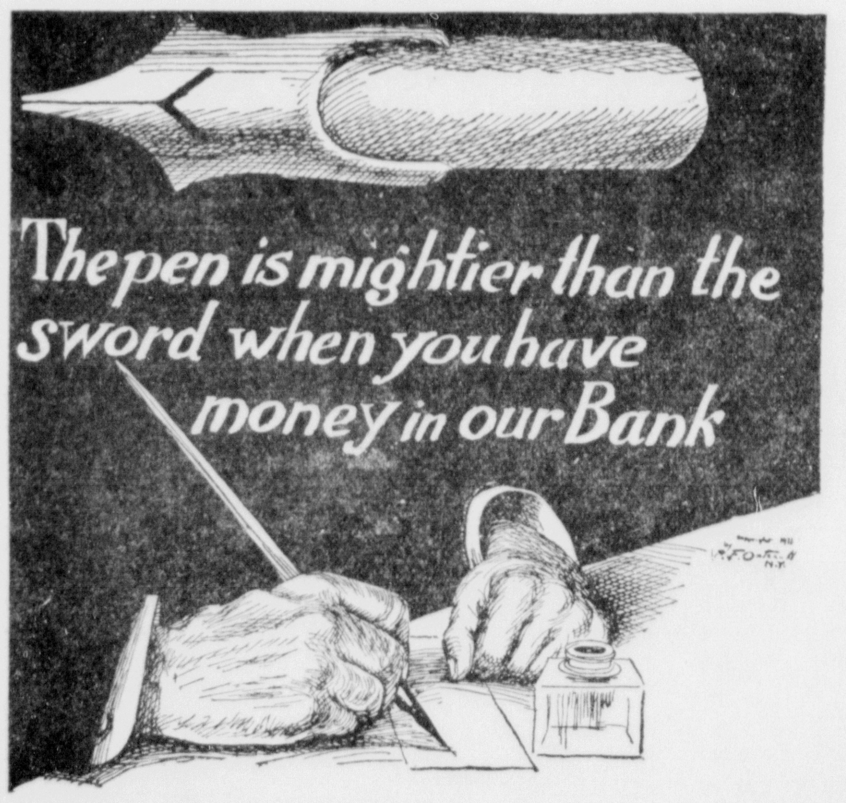

If a good business chance came your way, in the shape of a piece of property or a share in a thriving business, it would be very nice to write out a check for the amount. If sickness or fire invaded your home, it would be nice to have money in the bank, no matter what might happen, because it is a safe-guard against possible old age or sickness and POVERTY.

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First National Bank
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Established 1881
Capital and Surplus
One Hundred Thousand Dollars

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

M. J. Ries, dry goods, 209 7th St.

M. S. Hanft, of St. Paul, was in the city today.

Thomas Keating, of Derwood, is in the city on busines.

Awnings for stores and residences at D. M. Clark & Co. 255tf

Peter Yde, of Sylvan, was in the city attending to business matters today.

A. G. Somerville, of Vancouver, B. C., was a business visitor in Brainerd today.

Big Shoe Sale is now on at L. M. Koop's, the Big Popular Store. t2

Frank Bidwell went to Fargo, N. D., this noon for a ten day visit with friends.

Miss Lela Madland, of Minneapolis, is visiting Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Reimestad.

Henry Rosko, of the Rosko Brothers garage, was at Cuyuna Wednesday repairing an automobile.

Mrs. E. H. French, of West Duluth, is the guest of Mrs. John Hughes, of Northeast Brainerd .

Miss Mabel Mudge went to Musselshell, Mont., today to visit her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mabel Mudge.

Schmidt's bottle beer, famous for quality. Order a case. Telephone 164. John Coates Liquor Co. 208-tf

The Crookston Lumber company shipped today over the M. & I. a new switch engine to use in its plant at Bemidji.

Miss Reta Barnes, who has been the guest of Mrs. A. J. Forsyth, returned today to her home in Missoula, Mont.

EYES tested free, glasses fitted correctly at Ransford hotel August 21 and 22, by Dr. Bruns, the eye specialist. 15-16-17-19

Rev. A. L. Richardson, pastor of the Methodist church of Aitkin, and wife and daughter, were Brainerd visitors today.

Miss Laura Herman, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Ben Sanger for two weeks, has returned to her home in Anoka.

Rent your guns from King for chicken day, September 7. 62tf

The Ladies' Aid society of Peoples Congregational church will give an ice cream social at the church Friday evening, August 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Engel and two daughters of Detroit, Mich., are visiting at the home of P. Fricker and Ernest Engel and other relatives.

Brainerd Auditorium to rent for dances and public meetings. Apply to J. S. Gardner or Prof. Colvin. 30tf

Mr. Potter, the assistant to the general manager of the Soo line, visited Lowry Smith, the superintendent of the tie plant yesterday afternoon.

Big Shoe Sale is now on at L. M. Koop's, the Big Popular Store. t2

Dr. and Mrs. George Reimestad, of Stanton, N. D., who have been visiting his brother and family, Dr. and Mrs. C. S. Reimestad, returned home today.

FOR SALE—Late pocket maps of Crow Wing Co., 25c each. Keene & McFadden, Brainerd, Minn. 61t5-w1

Attorney George H. Niles, of Bismark, N. D., was in the city attending to legal matters and also visited a short time with his friend, Rev. Charles Fox Davis.

Mr. J. R. Floane, field secretary of the Missionary society of the Peoples Congregational church, will give an address Friday morning 10:30. Everyone welcome.

Will take 3 or 4 pupils on saxaphone. Address Frank A. Brausch, 1520 E. Pine. 61t3p

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Wise have returned from an enjoyable trip to Chicago and Columbus, Ohio. At the latter place they paid a visit to Mrs. Wise's mother.

Cool Days---Hot Blankets

Yes we are prepared to show you our new fall blankerts in cotton and wool, colors to match your room, pink, blue, lavender etc.

See our big line of baby blankets. We look out for the little tots.

Our new fall outing flannels are now on display.

OUR BUYERS ARE NOW IN NEW YORK

Murphy's
THE STORE OF QUALITY

LOOK FOR SOMETHING NEW

Herbert Hamilton, formerly a resident of West Brainerd and now a prosperous farmer residing near Lake Edwards in the vicinity of Merrifield, was in the city today.

Sheriff Reid and son, Arthur, went to Menominee, Wis., this afternoon where Arthur will visit until school starts. Sheriff Reid will be absent but a day or so from Brainerd.

Old Pilsner style Brainerd beer. Famous for quality and purity. Delivered to any part of the city. Phone 213. 259tf

Gus Raymond, owner of Raymond's addition to Crosby, was in Brainerd today and may make his home in the city if the family can find a vacant house with a barn on the lot.

Ben Fisher leaves today for Vancouver, B. C. Henry Olson will go to Seattle and Everett, Wash., for several weeks' visit. Both will stop off at Missoula, Mont., to see Leslie Bush pitch a game.

NOTICE—On and after August 14, the barbers union scale of prices for a haircut will be 35c, a massage 25c. Barbers Union. 62-tf

Miss Katherine Donnelly, of St. Paul, who has been the guest of Miss Auah Warner, returned home today after a pleasant visit with her friend in Aitkin. Miss Warner accompanied her as far as Brainerd.

The Dorcas Young Peoples society of the Swedish Mission church will give an ice cream social on the church lawn at the corner of Maple and Ninth streets south, Friday evening. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Darrell, palmist, for a few days only. Located at 620½ Front street, over Empress theatre. Call today. Office hours 9 A. M. to 8 P. M. 60-1mo

The Women's Home and Foreign Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will hold the regular monthly meeting Friday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. A. McKay in the Imperial block. A large attendance is desired.

Big Shoe Sale is now on at L. M. Koop's, the Big Popular Store. t2

J. W. Geiger, of Omaha, Neb., a prominent official of the Woodmen of the World, Thomas C. Fernald of Staples and Mrs. Mary LaRocca, of St. Paul, a leading officer of the Woodmen Circle, were in Brainerd yesterday. A picnic of the order will be held at Crosby this afternoon.

A special meeting of Crow Wing Tent, No. 62, Knights of the Maccabees of the World, will be held at the Trades & Labor hall on Friday evening, August 16, at which time the great record keeper of the state will be present and will speak on the insurance rates. Refreshments will be served at the meeting.

A. E. Poole of the Pennsylvania Chocolate company, Henry Jung of the J. B. Funk Candy company, Alex George and John Wahl, of Duluth, were at Barrows Wednesday examining the town. Mr. Poole was decidedly impressed with Barrows and will invest in realty there. Mr. Jung also spoke highly in favor of the town.

There will be a dance at Nokay Lake on August 24, a week from Saturday. Everybody come and have a good time. 62-t2-w-t1

Officer Peterson landed two drunken lumberjacks in jail this morning. The two were having a celebration at the corner of Broadway and Laurel. Officer Peterson deputized a man to help him, converted the Mahlum Lumber Co. coal wagon into a patrol wagon, loaded his human freight into the wagon and drove to the city lockup with the arrests.

Anton Lindstrom, a miner employed near Crosby, has commenced suit for $15,000 damages against the Inland Steel company for injuries alleged to have been received while in the employ of the company. Lindstrom alleges he fell from an inner level a distance of 45 feet down the shaft, striking in his descent a plank and landing in a pool of water at the bottom.

Leroy G. French, a former resident of Brainerd and a member of Aurora lodge of the Masons, was stricken with paralysis at Beardstown, Ill., and is now in a hospital at that place. While in Brainerd Mr. French was a fireman on the Northern Pacific railway. In Illinois he has been passenger conductor on the Illinois Central railroad, having made his home at Beardstown since 1904.

Scoutmasters N. H. Hagel, T. Rovelstad and G. T. Torgerson and company of 16 Boy Scouts passed through Brainerd on their way home to Glenwood. The whole company was neatly uniformed in khaki suits. Their tour embraced a visit to an inspection of the mines near Viriginia, a trip to Duluth and Superior, a river excursion down the Mississippi from Grand Rapids to Sandy lake and a boat trip to Aitkin.

FOR SALE—Seven room house and four lots on Bluff Ave., at end of 6th street. Will sell cheap. Must close up estate. G. S. Swanson, 206 Iron Exchange. 62-t3-w-t1

Mrs. Will Schilb gave a birthday party Wednesday in honor of Miss Edith Schilb on the occasion of her 15th birthday. The little girl received many useful and pretty presents. Music and games served to entertain the guests. Selections were played on the piano by Miss Edith Mrs. Bertha Bruce. A dainty lunch-Schilb and there was a vocal solo by eon was served, Mrs. Schilb being assisted by Mrs. McIntyre.

Assembly dance will open Monday Sept. 2nd at Brainerd auditorium, and will be held every Monday and Friday commencing with that date. Graham's orchestra Mondays and the Blue Ribbon orchestra Fridays. Lessons every Monday and Friday afternoon and evening up to 9 o'clock by Prof. Colvin. 1mo

Mrs. Flynn, wife of the proprietor of the National hotel, was shaken up in an automobile collision near Gull lake. Her husband was seated with A. Spicer and she occupied the rear seat. On a sharp turn of the Gull lake road the Spicer machine and Dr. R. A. Beise's car collided. Spicer turned out and struck a tree. Dr. Beise swerved to the side. The rear wheels of both autos caught, axles were broken, fenders damaged and other damage done. Beyond a few bruises and scratches no one in either car was injured.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by caby local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachain Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.
tarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Winter Rye

Winter rye seed for sale, first class quality. J. M. Hayes, 1022 Seventh St. S., or at Barrows.

Application for Liquor License

To the Council of the City of Brainerd, Minnesota:

The undersigned, Jerry Crowley, hereby makes application for a license to sell intoxicating liquors, at, upon and in the room and premises described as follows, to-wit: No. 121 Kindred Street, on the ground floor, in the City of Brainerd, from September 7th, 1912, until September 7th, 1913.

Dated August 14th, 1912.

(Signed) JERRY CROWLEY.

Said applicant has been licensed to sell intoxicating liquors in the city of Brainerd from September 7th, 1909, to September 7th, 1912.

Notice is hereby given that a hearing on the above application will be had on September 3rd 1912, at 8:00 p. m. at the regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Brainerd.

Dated August 14th, 1912.

V. N. RODERICK,
City Clerk.

8-15-22

EMPRESS
THAT SHOW THAT SATISFIES
Where Everybody Goes
TONIGHT

A delightful comedy drama by the Edison Co.
"Master and Pupil"
Featuring that droll comedian Mr. Harry Furniss.

A typical Indian tale by American Pathe
"The Unwilling Bride"
The cast in this pretty story is made up entirely of Indians, and was taken near the big Colorado reservation.

Here it is
"Any Ol' Clothes"
Something to Laugh at

Grace K. Carleton
In Two Late Song Successes

Miss B. Irvine
Pianist
Phenomenal Picture Play Accompanist With Music that fits the Pictures

The EMPRESS is supplied with a "Gold Fiber" curtain, the sheet of pure gold, the curtain that gives a depth, a tone and a perspective to every picture thrown upon it. This curtain positively does not strain or hurt the eyes, no matter how close you are seated to it.

WHITE BROS.
Hardware and Sporting Goods

Fishing tackle, oil stoves, electric irons, electric toasters. Lawn mowers and grass shears, garden hose and sprinkling cans.

We also have a large assortment of hammocks. Any price from $1.00 up.

We have wire cloth, black or galvanized, Screen doors and window screens. If you have a porch you want it screened. Let us make you a price on it.

616 Laurel Street

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ERS Auto Co.
Repairs Supplies Accessories
A NEW UP-TO-DATE GARAGE
With Everything for the Auto
309 So. 6th St. Brainerd, Minn.
Crow Wing Co. Distributors for
"BUICK" "STEVENS" AND "STEARNS-KNIGHT"

The man to do your
Cement and Concrete Work is
J. F. VAUGHN
"The Old Reliable Contractor"
Sidewalks, Curbing, Foundations and all kinds of cement and concrete work
523 So 9th St. Brainerd, Minn.

A $75,000 PAY DAY IN BRAINERD

Largest Pay Day in the History of the Local Northern Pacific Railway Shops

PROSPERITY AND OPTIMISM

Golden Stream From Shops Sets Whirling the Wheels of Brainerd Commercial Life

A $75,000 pay day is the record set this fifteenth of August by the Northern Pacific railway shops. This golden stream from the shops set whirling the wheels of commercial life in Brainerd and contributes to the greatest era of prosperity and optimism this city has ever enjoyed.

Wages, work and conditions at the shops are of the best and things were never in better shape in industrial lines.

The county will garner a record crop. Down at Deerwood the Bay Lake Fruit Growers association has cleared over $10,000 on its berry shipments. Raspberries are still found in abundance and so prolific has been the crop that the association is running out of boxes and crates.

Hay, wheat, oats, rye, corn and potatoes will yield bumper crops. Crow Wing county soil never gave a better account of itself than it did in this presidential year of 1912.

Mining and development work are being carried on with the ardor which betokens good things for the Cuyuna range. Hundreds of men are employed on the various drills on the range throughout the county. A train of ore is being shipped daily from the Armour No. 1, No. 2 and Kennedy mines.

The Brainerd-Cuyuna Mining Co., with drills at work in our very city limits on the south side, is in ore on its fifth hole, having penetrated 120 feet of rich, merchantable ore. The holes are about 200 feet apart. Three more holes will be sunk and Mr. Nelson, the vice president of the company, is certain that from two to six million tons of ore will be blocked out. "If things turn out as we expect them to," said Mr. Nelson, "you may state that we shall sink a shaft this year on our holdings on the south side near Sixth street."

Brainerd is no boom town and does not want to encourage any great furore in the boom line. Brainerd has the resources, the people and the opportunities.

Said a prominent visitor in the city last night: "I am not far wrong in my estimate when I assert that Brainerd will have 50,000 people in the next five years. You people may not see that far ahead, but we hear about Brainerd on the outside and the further you get away from Brainerd the more you hear about it."

NEW COUNTY OF CLOVER

Cass Will be Divided in Two and Pine River Will be the County Seat of the New County

Pine River will be the county seat of Clover county, according to the proclamation issued yesterday by Governor Eberhart. The governor adds one to the number of counties in Minnesota on petition of a number of residents of the southern half of Cass county.

The petition by the people of Pine River was the only one received by the governor. The residents of Staples certified that a number of signers of the previous petition had withdrawn their names. Pine River, however, came back with enough signatures to fulfill the requirements of law.

Are Ever at War

There are two things everlastingly at war, joy and piles. But Bucklen's Arnica Salve will banish piles in any form. It soon subdues the itching, irritation, inflammation or swelling. It gives comfort, invites joy. Greatest healer of burns, boils, ulcers, cuts, bruises, eczema, scalds, pimples, skin eruptions. Only 25 cts at all druggists. tts

TWO DEATHS RECORDED

Prominent Belvidere, Ill., Real Estate Man Dies—Brakeman Passes Away at Hospital

Myron D. Perkins, aged 62, a prominent real estate man of Belvidere, Ill., died at Emily where he had been spending a summer vacation. The remains were sent to his home and were accompanied by his wife and two sons.

George James Duffy, aged 27, a brakeman employed on the division between Staples and Wyoming, passed away at a local hospital, death being due to a fractured skull which the man received in an accident near his home at Wyoming. The remains were sent today to Wyoming.

Martinson-Lindholm

A pretty wedding was solemnized Tuesday evening at eight o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lindholm, 1525 Ninth street south, when their daughter, Miss Jennie Lindholm, was married to Martin Martinson, of Minneapolis, the Rev. Karl A. Lundin, pastor of the Swedish Baptist church, performing the ceremony in the presence of 25 guests.

The bridal party entered the rooms to the strains of the wedding march played by Miss Brown. Resting on the arm of her father, the bride, accompanied by her bridesmaid, Miss Hildur Palm, met the groom and his best man, Henry Jacobson, a nephew of Mr. Martinson, at the altar, where in the presence of the many invited friends and relatives the pleasing ceremony was performed.

The rooms were handsomely and appropriately decorated. During the evening Mrs. Lundin, wife of Rev. Lundin, rendered several piano selections. The out of town guests included the groom's father and sister, Mrs. Jacobson from Minneapolis, his brother and wife from North Dakota. The happy couple left on the midnight train for an extended wedding tour. They will reside in Superior, Wis.

The Dispatch joins with their many friends in wishing them much happiness and prosperity.

The Trials of a Traveler

"I am a traveling salesman," writes E. E. Youngs, E. Berkshire, Vt., "and was often troubled with constipation and indigestion until I began to use Dr. King's New Life Pills, which I have found an excellent remedy." For all stomach, liver or kidney troubles they are unequaled. Only 25 cents at all druggists. tts

Cement Dam at Pike Rapids

Little Falls, Minn., Aug. 15—One of Minnesota's historical spots will soon be given over to commercialism by the erection of a solid cement dam at Pike Rapids, five miles south of Little Falls on the Mississippi river.

Articles of incorporation of the Pike Rapids Hydro-Electric company have been filed with the secretary of state and the new company's officers state that work will be begun to improve the rapids and convert the power into channels. The articles give as the first officers: John L. McCague, Omaha, president; T. C. Gordon, Little Falls, secretary-treasurer. Former state representative Elmer A. Kling is also one of the incorporators and a member of the first board of directors. The nature of the business will be that of a public service corporation A dam will be constructed to furnish heat, light and power. With the construction of the dam other enterprises are planned, but nothing for publication can be secured at this time.

Pike Rapids derived the name from Z. M. Pike, who was sent in September, 1805, at the head of an expedition, up the Mississippi to expel certain British traders for violating the law. Pike reached the rapids and on the western bank of the river at that point constructed a stockade about 38 feet square to protect his small band from Indian attack and where they spent the winter. Traces of this stockade were in evidence up to a few years ago.

DEERWOOD ROBBED BY BOLD YEGGS

McManus Saloon Entered Monday Night and $25 is Appropriated From the Till

FRANK HIBBS ESCAPES HOLDUP

Cupid Busy in Deerwood and Every Indication of a Number of Fall Weddings

Deerwood, Minn., August 15—Two bold yeggs or holdup men took possession of Deerwood Monday night and got away with quite a few dollars. The McManus saloon was entered and the till tapped for $25. It is said the men then tried the door of the Grant saloon but were scared away because the swamper was sleeping in the place. It is said he snored in his slumbers.

At two o'clock Tuesday morning Frank Hibbs, the clerk of Vernie Taylor, was ordered to halt as he was walking home. Mr. Hibbs halted not but dug out for the open chased by the two holdup men and ran 200 yards in 8 and 3-5 seconds, getting home out of breath but not out of money. Marshal Lamey is doing everything possible to apprehend the robbers.

L. R. Hall, of Bay Lake, is raising 15 different kinds of grapes this year and if the frost holds off another month he will market through the Bay Lake Fruit Growers association the finest line of grapes which any commission man in Duluth ever set eyes on. The grapes will be sorted and packed in neat, attractive baskets. Manager Kinney is sure they will make a hit as soon as they strike commission row. The object of raising that many kinds of grapes was to see which thrived the best in this section of the county. As matters stand all fifteen have done remarkably well.

Mrs. Mae Mitchell returned to her home in Hibbing on Monday. She has been visiting with her brother, Ed. LaVictor in Deerwood and Ironton for some time. Mrs. Mitchell has a very pleasing personality and has made many friends while here. She loves Deerwood as all tourists do.

John Mahlum, of Brainerd, has taken charge of the Deerwood yard during the illness of F. J. Thomas.

Joe Ruggles, of Superior, has on display at the J. A. Stetson land office samples of his mammoth cucumbers, lemon and white marble cucumbers raised on his farm in section 9, township 46, range 28. They are all fine specimens and indicate in just another way what Crow Wing county soil is capable of doing.

There was a small blaze in the electric light office of the Cuyuna Range Power company starting from a waste basket, burning up Mr. Miller's coat, and scorching the wall and ceiling. Charles G. Osterlund smelled the smoke and arrived on the scene with a mop, a pail and a siphon and speedily doused things and had the fire under control before the Deerwood fire department got on the scene. The fire started while Mr. Miller was at the bank next door and no one has any idea how it originated.

Miss Haydee Anderson and her cousin, Miss Lake of Minneapolis, are visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jacob Palmer.

Miss Adele Palmer is visiting her brother at Marble.

Mr. and Mrs. Diegen, of Minneapolis, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lamb.

Mrs. John H. Hill and Mrs. Primus Kreiter have returned from a short visit at Duluth.

B. J. Magoffin, Jr., has returned from an interesting trip to Alaska.

E. A. Lamb is transacting busines in Duluth.

Mrs. Frank Simonitsh and children have returned to Bismark, N. D., after a pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Tyler at their summer cottage on Serpent lake.

Miss Crowley of Duluth, is visiting Miss Florence Denny at "Lindenhof."

Mrs. Hal Branch and daughter, Miss Hazel, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Wetzel, have returned to Minneapolis.

Mrs. J. A. Hickey, of Duluth, wife of the manager of the St. Louis hotel, is spending the summer in Deerwood.

The village council met on Monday night and ordered in a lot of new cement sidewalks in various parts of town. A number of routine bills were allowed and ordered paid.

Miss Williams, a teacher of the Duluth schools, is enjoying a vacation in Deerwood.

H. J. Ernster is moving into the house he recently purchased from Victor Wickstrom.

Dr. William Read read a paper at the state medical society meeting in Duluth.

Charles Oberg has bought a new runabout.

Indications evident to a keen sighted observer show that Cupid is busy in Deerwood. New diamond rings are observable on slender fingers. The summer girls are receiving tons of mail and Postmaster E. A. Wasserzieher never had such a busy time of it sorting letters. The active commercial life of this town is really languishing in some quarters and no wonder, for Cupid has its owners' heart replevined. The combination of Italian sunsets, gentle zephyrs, undulating waves of Serpent lake, canoe and launch rides, shady and inviting lovers' lane walks and pretty summer girls is too much for the average prosaic man and its no wonder he capitulates.

AUTOMOBILE NOTES

News of Tourists Visiting City—Local Items—Trade Notes From the Garages

Dr. J. A. Thabes and Dr. J. L. Frederick and friends have returned from a pleasant auto trip to Itasca State park. In the automobile party were Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Thabes, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gemmell, Miss Hope Thabes, Master Thabes, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Frederick. They left Brainerd Sunday morning at eleven o'clock and traveled by way of Pequot, Jenkins, Pine River, Backus, Park Rapids and into the park, a distance of 97 miles in half a day. The roads were in fine shape. The run is not difficult to make and Dr. Thabes' Hudson 33 and Dr. Frederick's Buick 44 stood the tour well. This trip is one of the prettiest in this section of the state. At the park one sees a panorama of natural beauty rarely equalled. Deer, small game and fish abound. One may camp anywhere in the park provided care is exercised in extinguishing fires and no animals are killed. Fifty visitors from all parts of the country were at the park when the Brainerd autos arrived. The park commissioner is Herman Heinzelman and the gentleman and his estimable wife are the very essence of hospitality. They do everything possible for the comfort of their guests. Accomodations of the best kind are obtainable at Douglas lodge and in addition there are numerous cottages on the grounds. The roads are all in excellent condition with the exception of a comparatively short strip near Gull lake. This should be repaired by the county commissioners as Crow Wing county harbors the only poor stretch of road on the whole 97 mile route. A small expenditure of money will take out the stumps, cut out the brush and otherwise improve the Gull lake road and also act beneficially in lightening the road troubles of the summer residents at Gull lake. This route to Itasca Park should be known to every auto driver for it will be the means of bringing more travel through Brainerd.

Omar Ernster has returned from Minneapolis, having guided several Overland cars to Brainerd.

H. J. Cheney, R. G. King, M. E. Hagen and T. C. Connelly, of St. Paul, were in the city Wednesday driving a Pierce-Arrow 66. They are on the road for the Brictson Mfg. Co., of Brookings, N. D., manufacturers of a detachable tire tread for automobiles. Their car followed the Twin City autos in their run from St. Paul and Minneapolis to Winnipeg and return.

W. M. Jones, of Chicago, motored from Parkerville to Brainerd Wednesday. Mr. Jones is spending his summer vacation at Parkerville. He drives a beautiful and powerful car, a 6 cylinder Winton of 60 horsepower. In his trip from Chicago to Brainerd he had only two punctures and no other trouble of any kind. In speaking of auto licenses, Mr. Jones said they tax the car according to horsepower in Chicago. His car was decorated with a Chicago tag showing he had paid a $20 tax for 1912.

Manager Rice of the Crosby telephone exchange, covers his country district on a motorcycle. When he first rode his motorcycle he put on the high speed first thing, lost his coat and hat and was surprised at the jump his machine took.

It will be news of welcome interest to all auto drivers to hear that the Northern Pacific railway has enlarged and improved the overhead crossing near the Cuyuna Range Power house, thus doing away with any possibility of accidents at this curve. The village council of Deerwood examined the grading and changes made by George H. Gendron, of Brainerd.

A party of Waterloo, Iowa, autoists passed through Brainerd Wednesday on their way to the summer resorts north of Brainerd.

Bids Wanted

The undersigned town board, will receive bids for a steel and cement bridge over the Noka Sebie in Sec. 16, T. 43-31. Plans and specifications on file with the county surveyor, or they may submit their own plans and specification. Bid to be accompanied with a certified check of 10 per cent of bid. Bids will be opened Aug. 24, 1912. Address all bids to town clerk, Eugene Viellett, Ft. Ripley. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

H. V. FLANSBURG, Chairman.

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FOR SALE

$700—A large 7 room house on North Bluff Avenue. Owner leaving city and will sell at a sacrifice.

J. R. SMITH, Sleeper Block

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS FOR BACKACHE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

INJURED IN AN AUTO ACCIDENT

Special to Dispatch:—

Crosby, Minn., August 14—Mrs. W. A. Guith, the wife of a prominent mining man of Crosby, was severely injured when she fell from the car which her husband was driving on Main street. She struck the hard paving on her head and was unconscious several hours.

ESDON ETCHINGS

Mrs. M. L. Hammett is enjoying a visit from an aunt, Mrs. Sam Lougee, a cousin Miss Gertrude Lougee and Miss Margaret Kenny, all of Faribault.

Mr. W. A. Blades returned from Iowa last Saturday and started for Bemidji Monday morning. He is getting to be a traveling man all right.

Miss Margaret Kenny who visited Mrs. M. L. Hammett last week, returned to Faribault last Saturday. We were sorry to see her go but her duties as bookkeeper at the Peterson Art Furniture Co., called her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hess are spending a few days at Miss Ada Dye's.

Wm. Rosenkranz, Sr., has gone to Dakota for the fall's work.

J. N. Biever's auto took a rest near J. H. Flint's Sunday evening owing to a slow puncture in one of the tires.

Maud Hammett spent a few days in Brainerd last week.

Mrs. Sam Lougee, Miss Gertrude Lougee, Miss M. Kenny, Will Flint, Oscar Hammett and Mrs. M. L. Hammett went to Mille Lac Friday, if it did rain. They went as far as Chas. Barnard's store and there had a most delightful time.

Flying Men Fall

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Mrs. M. Lundvick, of Minneapolis, is visiting Mrs. C. Sandberg.

The young people spent a very pleasant evening at Mrs. L. Thompson's Monday evening.

Agnes Gibb, of Minneapolis, spent last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gibb.

Mrs. Thomas went up to Backus Saturday to see her sister, Mrs. King, who is very sick.

Eva Thompson was home for a few days from Brainerd.

The farmers are busy cutting oats now

J. E. Hughey came up from St. Paul Monday where he has been working the past two months.

Frank Taylor returned from Montana last Friday.

E. R. Richard, his sister and husband and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wightman and Miss Wightman, visited at J. C. Barber's Monday on Nokay lake.

COUNTRY COUSIN.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Brainerd for the week ending Aug. 9, 1912. When calling for these letters please say 'advertised."

Britton, Mrs. Myrtle
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Davis, Miss May.
Guetzkow, Mrs. Paul.
Haselhorst, Mr. Ernest (2)
Hanley, M. J.
Hitchcock, Mrs. Annie
Hlewald, Rleltha.
Hotchkiss, Mrs. Mary.
Jacobson, Mr. Chas. M.
Jarvis, Mr. Jerry.
Johnson, Mr. Henry.
Lipinski, Mr. John.
Miller Mr. August.
Pidgeon, Mrs. C. A.
Ricker, Mrs. Maurice.
Sapple, Mr. George F.
Snyder, Mr. A.
Tempelin, Miss Augusta.

For week ending August 16:

Addicks, Miss Minnie (3)
Ahrens, John.
Borgstrom, Mr. Roy V.
Fox, Mrs. Anna.
Gallagher, Maud.
Heino, Mr. Oskar.
Hunt, Mr. M. P.
Jarvis, Mr. Jay.
Lutz, Mrs. Olive.
Lutz, Mrs. Olive.
Ludwick, Mr. John.
Mathias, Willi.
Murphy, Mr. J. H.
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"No," replied the girl, who was slightly surprised. "This is Such-and-such hotel."

"Oh, all right!" said the man. "Just woke up and didn't know where I was."—New York Telephone Review.

His Favorites.

"I am inclined to suspect the sobriety of the last student in our class."

"Why, so?"

"When I asked him what were his favorite studies in ornithology he replied swallows, bats and larks."—Baltimore American.

Quicksands.

Quicksands are not caused by water constantly flowing over sand. It is only where there is an upward current that they are found. Imagine, for instance, a bucket filled with sand. Water poured on that sand does not make it "quick." If, however, the bucket had a hole in its bottom and water was forced through the hole quicksands would be formed.

A Mean Dig.

Maude—Mr. Willing asked me to accompany him to the opera tomorrow evening.

Clara—And you accepted the invitation?

"Certainly."

"Strange! He asked me also."

"There's nothing strange about it at all. I told him I wouldn't go unless he provided a chaperon."

Indian Killed on Track

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Faint Heart

Never Won Fair Lady

By EVERETT MACBURNEY

Alice and I had for some time been excellent friends, but it never occurred to me to look upon her as anything more than a friend. She was a great flirt and practiced her wiles on most any man who came along, but not on me. One day she surprised me by saying:

"John, why have you never made love to me?"

"You mean why have I never joined the innumerable caravan of those who bow down to you and whom you send on their way, sadder, but wiser?"

"Nonsense!"

"On the contrary, its the truth. You don't consider that if I made love to you and you sent me on like the others our companionship would be spoiled."

"Why should that be necessary?"

"I don't know. It's the invariable result in such cases."

"How do you know I would send you on?"

"I don't, but I'd bet ten to one you would."

She made no reply to this. We were sitting on a rustic bench in the garden. She was toying with a rose, one of the last of the summer, tumbling it against her lips directly under her nose. I knew very well she was doing it because there was something in it suggestive of a kiss, the lips and the rose being very much alike.

"Don't try to fool me, Alice. We've been mighty good friends, and I've felt complimented that you've thought so much of me you don't care to interfere with our friendly relationship. I'm going away tomorrow, and I don't know whether I'll come back or not. If I do I want to find my old chum here just as she's always been."

"Suppose you find me married?"

"In that case you'll still be my friend Alice, and I your friend Tom. And doubtless your husband and I will come to be good friends too."

I said this in a half hearted way. I knew very well that marriage makes a lot of difference in friendships. Several of my men chums had married, and I had come to consider such friendships as destroyed by wedlock. At any rate none of them were ever the same afterward. Alice didn't say she hoped so too. She kept fumbling the rose against her lips in a tantalizing fashion and didn't say anything. It was plain she had broken through the hedge that divides the realms of friendship from those of love and was looking about her in the new domain.

It is said that love begets love. At any rate there was that in her action to inoculate me. And yet I knew her so well that I didn't dare trust her. I had seen men hang about her for a few months, sometimes only for a few weeks, then suddenly drop off and never again be seen in her company. During the buzzing of the bee about the flower I had called the bee a fool. Should I now make a fool of myself?

"What is the pleasure you take in leading a man to make love to you, encouraging him to propose to you and then sending him off about his business?"

"I deny that I have ever done such a thing."

This was a pretty definite statement. I wondered if after all there wasn't some truth in it. Did these fellows conjure up encouragement when it was not intended? Was there something in Alice's treatment of them that looked like flirting, but was not flirting, or was she flirting and yet unconscious of doing so? Far be it from me, a man, to analyze a woman's motives in such matters. I have sometimes believed they don't always know themselves.

Alice had never acted in this way toward me before, and I was at a loss to attribute to her a motive for her doing so. I could not believe that she had suddenly made up her mind that she wanted me or that she was willing to destroy our friendship to satisfy a whim. If there was a middle course between these two I had not the power to discern it. My surmises ended just as all of man's surmises with regard to woman's intentions must ever end—in uncertainty. And yet should I analyze myself in the matter would I come out any better? I am now inclined to think that I had always felt for Alice a desire for her possession that I had not realized. At least this is the only explanation I can give for my action on this occasion. Possibly there may have been a bit of curiosity, a modicum of the hunter's instinct, both re-enforced by a feeling that a lifetime passed with her would be an agreeable one.

"Well," I said at last, "I will give you an opportunity to show whether you are in earnest or whether this is just such a case as you have been through often before. I love you. Will you be my wife?"

Looking back at this proposal I wonder how I could have supposed that any girl who was interested in a man purely for love could have been satisfied with it. There was no more warmth in the tone with which I spoke the words than in the words themselves. I might as well have spoken a declaration into a phonograph and then set the machine grinding them out to her while I read a newspaper. Indeed, what then seemed to me to be a compliment, considering that she first broached the subject or at least gave me a hint as to her feelings, now seems to me to have been little less than an insult.

I really thought I was putting her in a position to declare her love for me if she had such love to declare, whereas I was simply putting her in a position to accept me for a husband if she chose to do so. She sat silent, toying with the rose, though now she was pulling it to pieces. Presently she said:

"No, I think it is fated that we shall not get beyond friendship."

I was much more disappointed than I had thought I would be at this reply. But I did not show it in my action, nor did I upbraid her. I simply said that I would do my best to maintain our past friendly status, but whether it could be maintained or not I did not know. I hoped it could. I arose, offered her my hand, which she took without warmth, bade her goodby and told her that I would see her again before my departure.

But I didn't. The barrier that I feared would be the result of lovemaking had come between us. I could not take leave of her both as a rejected lover and as a friend; therefore I would not take leave of her at all. I departed without seeing her. I considered that I had joined the "innumerable caravan."

The object of my journey was to investigate a business in which I had been invited to take an interest. Finding that it looked favorable, I embarked in it and for five years was absorbed in it. At the end of that time I concluded to take a vacation with two objects in view. One was to take a rest, the other to go back to my old home and visit old friends.

It was about the same time of year as when I had come away that one afternoon a few days after my arrival I went to call on Alice, who was now midway between girlhood and old maidhood. I found her in the garden where I had left her five years before tending her flowers. Hearing some one coming up the walk, she raised herself and with a trowel in her hand stood looking at me. I saw that she recognized me, but whether she experienced pleasure or pain at seeing me again I could not determine. She had always had the faculty of concealing her feelings.

She welcomed me with a certain cordiality and led me to the same rustic seat on which we had sat during our last and memorable interview.

"You are not married, I believe?" I said.

"No."

"I have often wondered why it is that girls such as you are or were, with lots of suitors, very often don't marry at all."

"I suppose it's because they don't meet the man they want or that the man they want doesn't want them. For my part, I would not marry any man unless he loved me."

"But men have loved you whom you didn't want."

"I have had men tell me they loved me who meant it, and I have had men tell me they loved me who didn't. At any rate, they told me in such a half hearted way that it meant nothing."

I picked up my ears. For the first time in the years that had intervened since my proposal I realized that it was half hearted. Could it be that she referred to mine as such a proposition?

"I remember," she continued, "on that afternoon when you were here last you upbraided me for trifling. It seems to me that if a man loves a woman and proposes to her to gratify a curiosity as to whether she is trifling or not with him he is the more reprehensible of the two."

There was something sadly reproachful in this that made me wince.

"If you refer to me I certainly have paid for the wrong I committed, though I do not admit the charge, for I have lived a lonely life since."

"I could only attribute your indifferent tone to curiosity."

"You were wrong. I did not realize that my proposal was half hearted, but I will admit that I did not know your refusal meant so much to me. We do not know how much we desire an object till we find we can't have it. Then we fret and fume and refuse to be comforted."

"In that case, if the object is at last attained, we find no comfort in it."

"Not so. The not getting what we covet shows us that we did not realize how much we wanted it. I admit that when we talked of this matter years ago I was fearful of a refusal. Fear is no weapon with which to make love."

"It is a good weapon with which to keep those apart who should be together."

A slight trembling in her voice when she said this struck a responsive chord in my heart. I had not only injured myself, but her. I had nothing to say.

"Why did you go away without coming to see me, as you said you would?"

"I could no longer come as a friend, and I did not wish to come as a rejected lover. But enough of this, Alice. I, who thought I had some insight into a woman's nature, have been a fool. My stupidity has cost me infinite pain. I now know that under my youthful friendship you was concealing an enduring love, not a love such as may pass away at a breath, but one that, growing slowly, becomes an absorbing passion."

Finding that words were inadequate to express all I felt, I took her in my arms and told the rest in caresses.

"Five years lost," she said through tears, "on account of a misunderstanding."

"They shall be made up for by a greater intensity of those that are to come."

Needless Use of Opiates.

It is perhaps a conservative estimate that only 10 per cent of the entire drug consumption in this country is applied to the purpose of blunting incurable pain. Thus 90 per cent of the opiates used are, strictly speaking, unnecessary. In the innumerable cases that have come under my observation 75 per cent of the habitual users became such without reasonable excuse. Beginning with small occasional doses, they realized within a few weeks that they had lost self control and could not discontinue the use of the drug.—Charles B. Towns in Century.

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He was a small boy with a dark, eager face, and he was waiting at the end of the line of eight or ten persons for a chance to make his wants known to the librarian. When his turn came he inquired briefly, "Have you got 'Twenty Thousand Legs Under the Sea?'"

"No," responded the librarian a little snappishly, for she was tired; "I'm thankful to say I've only got two, and they're not under the sea!"—New York Press.

All He Was Fit For.

A tramp was passing a marine store, and, seeing the man at the door, he asked in a joking way, "Do you buy rags and bones?"

"You've guessed it first time, old chap," answered the man. "Get on the scales!"—London Telegraph.

Down the Rhine.

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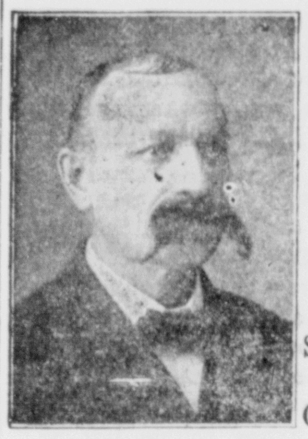

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"The constable says you were going forty miles at least."

"Forty! Why, heavens alive, judge! I had a broken coil, and a cracked tank, and a carbonized plug, and a bent axle, and a slow leak, and a wabbly wheel. Why, say, judge, there wasn't a thing about my car that was intact!"

"Sad case. But it's going to be still sadder if you can't dig up an intact ten dollar bill. Correct. Next case."—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Fills the Bill.

"A sentence with the word exposure," the teacher demanded, and a sturdy boy put up his hand.

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The Poet's Roost.

William Watson says of the poet, "He sits above the clang and dust of time."

This might indicate that he takes to the roof when his wife begins her spring housecleaning.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Curiosity.

Where necessity ends curiosity begins, and no sooner are we supplied with everything the nature can demand than we sit down to contrive artificial appetites.—Johnson.

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